

# KADEISH: HOW MUCH TO FILL AND DRINK

## Four Cups: Minimum Quantity To Fulfill Mitzva

Minimum wine to fulfill the se<sub>der</sub> mitzva:

- Each person must drink four cups of wine at the se<sub>der</sub>;
- Each cup must hold at least 4 fl. oz. (119 ml);
- For each blessing on the wine, you must drink at least 2 fl. oz. (59 ml) within 30 seconds of when you begin to drink each cup.

## Majority of the Cup/Rov Kos

The se<sub>der</sub> is the only time in the year that you must drink most of your cup (rov kos) of kiddush wine. (For kiddush on Shabbat and Jewish festivals, you need drink only 2 fl. oz., or 59 ml). So if you have a cup larger than 4 fl. oz. (119 ml), you may have to drink a lot of wine--more than half of each cup for four cups!

**NOTE** You may drink other liquids between the first and second cups of wine at the se<sub>der</sub>, but it is not recommended.